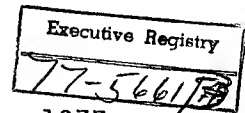


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National Intelligence Officers

28 September 1977



MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

VIA : Deputy to the DCI for National Intelligence

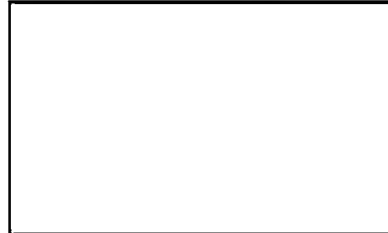
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SUBJECT : Letter to Thomas A. Callaghan, Jr., on his  
"Allied Interdependence Project"

1. Action required: Signature on the letter to Callaghan attached.

2. The background is summarized on my memorandum of 21 September, attached. Your comment was: "Let's stay a bit more distant." The letter to Callaghan has been rewritten with that objective. In view of the personal tone of your letter to him of 10 August, copy attached, I don't believe you want a purely formal acknowledgment.

3. Recommend signature on the letter as redrafted.



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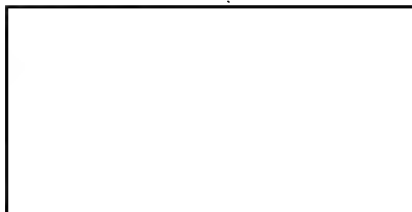
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AT  
Dear

It was with sorrow that I became aware of the loss of your father. I realize, through personal experience, that these are rather traumatic events. I write merely to extend my deepest sympathy and to let you know we are thinking of you in your hour of loss.

Sincerely,

John F. Blake  
Acting Deputy Director



(EXECUTIVE SECRETARY) *[Signature]*

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